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Serial No.: 09/977,874	)	Art Unit:	1654
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Filed: October 15, 2001	)	Deposit Acct. No:	04-1403
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Title: Composition For The Detection	)		
Of Gastrointestinal Disorders	)		

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated February 24, 2003, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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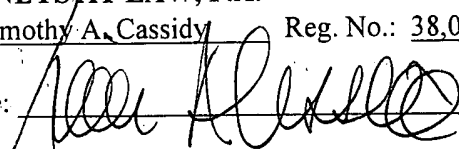
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